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Mission Prayer: Loving God, guide us as we build a joyful and inclusive community. May your Holy Spirit lead and inspire us to be the Good News of Jesus Christ by serving others and caring for all. Amen.

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Reconciliation Times

10.30am Saturdays — St Mary's
4.30pm Saturdays — Holy Spirit
5.00pm Saturdays — St Joseph's

MASS TIMES

St Mary's Thornbury

Sunday: 10:00am English/Italian
5:30pm
Weekday: Wednesday, 9:15am
English/Italian

St Joseph's Northcote

Saturday: 5:30pm
Sunday: 11:00am
Weekday: Tuesday, 9:15am

Holy Spirit Thornbury East

Saturday: 5:00pm
Sunday: 9:30am
Weekday: Thursday, 9:15am
English/Italian

St Anthony's Alphington

Sunday: 9:00am Italian:
11:00am: English
Weekday: Friday, 9:15am

FEAST DAYS IN THE WEEK

9 June: The Blessed Virgin Mary, Mother of the church.
11 June: St Barnabas, apostle
13 June: St Anthony of Padua, priest, doctor

Recently Deceased

Dominic Grundy, Antonio Gallucci, Palmira Petrilli, Angelina Constantino, Marie Hanna Saffa Fakhry, Rachela Corica.

Anniversaries

Giuseppe Baratto, Amelia Serraglio, Nino Costa, Emile and Layla Nabih Fakhry, Jamil Majid Kayrouz, Denise Elzain Taouk, Mirshed Tannous Fakhry, Nancy Naiken, Francesco Sabatino, Gina Invelja, Maria Reginato, Doris May Scott and Jack Murata.

To update parish details, please visit our official parish website:

www.melbcatholic.org/s/hosan



Solemnity of Pentecost Year C

8 June 2025

Solemnity of Pentecost



Happy Feast Day Holy Spirit Parish

Sunday 8th June—Holy Spirit Church—East Thornbury—9:30am mass

Today we rejoice in the Feast of Pentecost, marking the birth of the Church. We extend warm congratulations to Holy Spirit Parish as they celebrate their patronal feast.

Just as the Holy Spirit descended upon the Apostles and those gathered at the first Pentecost, may that same Spirit fill our hearts today — bringing unity, love, and peace to all God's people.

Empowered like the first disciples, may we go forth with courage and strength, proclaiming the Gospel in word and deed, and bearing witness to the Kingdom of God in our world.



"Come, Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of your faithful. And kindle in them the fire of your love. Send forth your Spirit and they shall be created. And you will renew the face of the earth. Lord, by the light of the Holy Spirit you have taught the hearts of your faithful. In the same Spirit help us to relish what is right and always rejoice in your consolation. We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen."

O Spirito Santo, amore del Padre e del Figlio, ispirami sempre ciò che devo pensare, ciò che devo dire e come devo dirlo; ciò che devo tacere, ciò che devo scrivere, come devo agire e ciò che devo fare. Per cercare la Tua gloria, il bene delle anime e la mia santificazione. O Gesù, è in Te tutta la mia fiducia. Cardinale Mercì

First Reading Acts 2:1-11***A reading from the Acts of the Apostles***

When Pentecost day came round, the apostles had all met in one room, when suddenly they heard what sounded like a powerful wind from heaven, the noise of which filled the entire house in which they were sitting; and something appeared to them that seemed like tongues of fire; these separated and came to rest on the head of each of them. They were all filled with the Holy Spirit, and began to speak foreign languages as the Spirit gave them the gift of speech.

Now there were devout men living in Jerusalem from every nation under heaven, and at this sound they all assembled, each one bewildered to hear these men speaking his own language. They were amazed and astonished. 'Surely' they said 'all these men speaking are Galileans? How does it happen that each of us hears them in his own native language? Parthians, Medes and Elamites; people from Mesopotamia, Judaea and Cappadocia, Pontus and Asia, Phrygia and Pamphylia, Egypt and the parts of Libya round Cyrene; as well as visitors from Rome - Jews and proselytes alike - Cretans and Arabs; we hear them preaching in our own language about the marvels of God.'

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Responsorial Psalm x

R. *Lord send out your Spirit,
and renew the face of the earth.*

Bless the Lord, O my soul.
O Lord my God, you are very great.
O Lord, how manifold are your works!
the earth is full of your creatures. **R.**

When you take away their breath, they die
and return to their dust.
When you send forth your spirit, they are created;
and you renew the face of the earth. **R.**

May the glory of the Lord endure forever;
may the Lord rejoice in his works.
May my meditation be pleasing to him,
for I rejoice in the Lord. **R.**

Second Reading Romans 8:8-17 (Year C)***A reading from the letter of St Paul to the Romans***

People who are interested only in unspiritual things can never be pleasing to God. Your interests, however, are not in the unspiritual, but in the spiritual, since the Spirit of God has made his home in you. In fact, unless you possessed the Spirit of Christ you would not belong to him. Though your body may be dead it is because of sin, but if Christ is in you then your spirit is life itself because you have been justified; and if the Spirit of him who raised Jesus from the dead is living in you, then he

who raised Jesus from the dead will give life to your own mortal bodies through his Spirit living in you. So then, my brothers, there is no necessity for us to obey our unspiritual selves or to live unspiritual lives. If you do live in that way, you are doomed to die; but if by the Spirit you put an end to the misdeeds of the body you will live. Everyone moved by the Spirit is a son of God. The spirit you received is not the spirit of slaves bringing fear into your lives again; it is the spirit of sons, and it makes us cry out, 'Abba, Father!' The Spirit himself and our spirit bear witness that we are children of God. And if we are children we are heirs as well: heirs of God and coheirs with Christ, sharing his sufferings so as to share his glory.

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Gospel Acclamation *SeqAccl*

Alleluia, alleluia!

Come, Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of your faithful
and kindle in them the fire of your love.

Alleluia!

Gospel of John 14:15-16, 23-26***A reading from the holy Gospel according to John***

Jesus said to his disciples

'If you love me you will keep my commandments.

I shall ask the Father
and he will give you another Advocate
to be with you for ever.

'If anyone loves me he will keep my word,
and my Father will love him,
and we shall come to him
and make our home with him.

Those who do not love me do not keep my words.

And my word is not my own;
it is the word of the one who sent me.

I have said these things to you
while still with you;
but the Advocate, the Holy Spirit,
whom the Father will send in my name,
will teach you everything
and remind you of all I have said to you.'

The Gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.



Readings Next Week—Holy Trinity Sunday: 15 June 25

1st Rdg: Proverbs 8:22-31

2nd Rdg: Romans 5:1-5

Gospel: John 16:12-15

Prima lettura At 2,1-11**Dagli Atti degli Apostoli**

Mentre stava compiendosi il giorno della Pentecoste, si trovavano tutti insieme nello stesso luogo. Venne all'improvviso dal cielo un fragore, quasi un vento che si abbatte impetuoso, e riempì tutta la casa dove stavano. Apparvero loro lingue come di fuoco, che si dividevano, e si posarono su ciascuno di loro, e tutti furono colmati di Spirito Santo e cominciarono a parlare in altre lingue, nel modo in cui lo Spirito dava loro il potere di esprimersi. Abitavano allora a Gerusalemme Giudei osservanti, di ogni nazione che è sotto il cielo. A quel rumore, la folla si radunò e rimase turbata, perché ciascuno li udiva parlare nella propria lingua. Erano stupiti e, fuori di sé per la meraviglia, dicevano:

«Tutti costoro che parlano non sono forse Galilei? E come mai ciascuno di noi sente parlare nella propria lingua nativa? Siamo Parti, Medi, Elamiti; abitanti della Mesopotamia, della Giudea e della Cappadocia, del Ponto e dell'Asia, della Frigia e della Panfilia, dell'Egitto e delle parti della Libia vicino a Cirene, Romani qui residenti, Giudei e proseliti, Cretesi e Arabi, e li udiamo parlare nelle nostre lingue delle grandi opere di Dio».

Parola di Dio

Tutti: Rendiamo grazie a Dio.

Salmo responsoriale Sal 103

**Rit. _ Manda il tuo Spirito, Signore,
a rinnovare la terra.**

L._ Benedici il Signore, anima mia!
Sei tanto grande, Signore, mio Dio!
Quante sono le tue opere, Signore!
Le hai fatte tutte con saggezza;
la terra è piena delle tue creature. **Rit.**

L._ Togli loro il respiro: muoiono,
e ritornano nella loro polvere.
Mandi il tuo spirito, sono creati,
e rinnovi la faccia della terra. **Rit.**

L._ Sia per sempre la gloria del Signore;
gioisca il Signore delle sue opere.
A lui sia gradito il mio canto,
io gioirò nel Signore. **Rit.**

Seconda lettura Rm 8,8-17**Dalla lettera di san Paolo apostolo ai Romani**

Fratelli, quelli che si lasciano dominare dalla carne non possono piacere a Dio. Voi però non siete sotto il dominio della carne, ma dello Spirito, dal momento che lo Spirito di Dio abita in voi. Se qualcuno non ha lo Spirito di Cristo, non gli appartiene. Ora, se Cristo è in voi, il vostro corpo è morto per il peccato, ma lo Spirito è vita per la giustizia. E se lo Spirito di Dio, che ha risuscitato Gesù dai morti, abita in

voi, colui che ha risuscitato Cristo dai morti darà la vita anche ai vostri corpi mortali per mezzo del suo Spirito che abita in voi.

Così dunque, fratelli, noi siamo debitori non verso la carne, per vivere secondo i desideri carnali, perché, se vivete secondo la carne, morirete. Se, invece, mediante lo Spirito fate morire le opere del corpo, vivrete. Infatti tutti quelli che sono guidati dallo Spirito di Dio, questi sono figli di Dio. E voi non avete ricevuto uno spirito da schiavi per ricadere nella paura, ma avete ricevuto lo Spirito che rende figli adottivi, per mezzo del quale gridiamo: «Abbà! Padre!». Lo Spirito stesso, insieme al nostro spirito, attesta che siamo figli di Dio. E se siamo figli, siamo anche eredi: eredi di Dio, coeredi di Cristo, se davvero prendiamo parte alle sue sofferenze per partecipare anche alla sua gloria.

Parola di Dio

Tutti: Rendiamo grazie a Dio.

Canto al Vangelo Sequenza

Alleluia, alleluia.

Vieni, Santo Spirito, riempi i cuori dei tuoi fedeli
e accendi in essi il fuoco del tuo amore.

Alleluia.

Vangelo Gv 14,15-16.23-26**Dal Vangelo secondo Giovanni**

In quel tempo, Gesù disse ai suoi discepoli:

«Se mi amate, osserverete i miei comandamenti; e io pregherò il Padre ed egli vi darà un altro Paràclito perché rimanga con voi per sempre.

Se uno mi ama, osserverà la mia parola e il Padre mio lo amerà e noi verremo a lui e prenderemo dimora presso di lui. Chi non mi ama, non osserva le mie parole; e la parola che voi ascoltate non è mia, ma del Padre che mi ha mandato.

Vi ho detto queste cose mentre sono ancora presso di voi. Ma il Paràclito, lo Spirito Santo che il Padre manderà nel mio nome, lui vi insegnerà ogni cosa e vi ricorderà tutto ciò che io vi ho detto».

Parola del Signore

Tutti: Lode a Te O Cristo.



WE PRAY FOR THE SICK

Names will remain for **2 weeks**, then a new request is required.

Neolle Dobbs, Rita Ljubetic, Mary Buttifant and Tina Marangoni.

HOUSE VISITATIONS

Do you or someone you know require any of the following:

- Annual House Visits
- Visits to the Sick
- Anointing of the Sick

Please contact the Parish Office on 9484 2907 to arrange a time with Fr Shabin or Fr Peter.

SICK OR HOUSEBOUND / MALATI O CONFINATI A CASA

Se conoscete persone che sono malate o confinate a casa e vorrebbero ricevere visite o la comunione a casa siete pregati di mettervi in contatto Parish Office **9484 2907**

CHRISTIAN MEDITATION

Christian Meditation on Thursdays at 10:30am at Holy Spirit Parish. ALL WELCOME.

BAPTISMS: By Appointment Only

- 1st Sunday of the month—St Mary's
- 2nd Sunday of the month—Holy Spirit
- 3rd Sunday of the month—St Anthony's
- 4th Sunday of the month—St Joseph's

Please call the Parish Office 9484 2907 or go to our website at <https://www.melbcatholic.org/s/hosan>

SENIORS

After the Thursday 9:15am Mass at Holy Spirit Parish Hall.

- Dopo messa Bingo e carte nella sala, si offre caffè e biscotti. Tutti benvenuti.
After Mass, bingo and cards in the hall, with coffee and biscuits offered. All Welcome.

Last Friday of the month

St Joseph's Seniors Mass every last Friday of the Month at 10:30am in the church.

Parrocchiani anziani di San Giuseppe sono invitati a partecipare alla **Santa Messa ultimo Venerdì del mese alle 10:30am.**

Mass of Anointing of the Sick

9:15am Mass of Anointing of the Sick will take place on the first Friday of the month at St Anthony's Alphington.

"Telephone Prayer meeting"

When: Every Tuesday at 11:30am
Dial: **07- 5660 6012** (call from home)
Access code: **722762 #**
Cost: Cost of a local call. Open to all.

Catholic Religious Education Classes for children attending government schools in preparation for the Sacraments

Please call the Parish Office 9484 2907 or go to our website at <https://www.melbcatholic.org/s/hosan>
Safeguarding Children, Young People and Vulnerable People Committee
Contact Person via the Parish Office:
Moses El-Fahkri

Parish Notices



St Anthony's Feast Day Mass on Holy Trinity Sunday

Sunday 15th June—St Anthony's Church, Alphington

Combined choir rehearsal at **9:30am** prior mass start.
The **10:30am** mass will also be followed by morning tea.
Please bring a plate to share if you can. All Welcome!

Combined choir directed by Dr Daryl Barclay

St Anthony's New Sunday Mass Time—Messa Domenicale—Nuovo Orario

Three years ago, the Archbishop called us to unite our three parishes and four communities. Since then, we've worked to better support parishioners and ease the load on our priests. With Monsignor Tom's retirement, we'll combine the Italian and English Mass at St Anthony's into one celebration at **10:30am, starting on St Anthony's Feast Day — 15 June 2025.**

We're grateful to our volunteers and ask for your continued prayers as we support one another through this transition.

*Tre anni fa, l'Arcivescovo ci ha invitati a unire le nostre tre parrocchie e quattro comunità. Da allora, abbiamo raggiunto molti traguardi, semplificando i servizi per i parrocchiani e sostenendo i nostri sacerdoti. Con il pensionamento di Monsignor Tom, uniremo le Messe in italiano e in inglese a Sant'Antonio. La nuova Messa sarà alle **10:30, a partire dal 15 giugno 2025, giorno della festa di Sant'Antonio. Ringraziamo i volontari e chiediamo a tutti di continuare a pregare per la nostra comunità in questo tempo di cambiamento.***



SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

We welcome into the Christian Community:

♦ **Adriano & Jordan** as they present **Beau D'Andrea**

for their baptisms at **Holy Spirit** on Sunday. We congratulate the families and pray for their spiritual growth and wellbeing in the Lord.

Children from our four Parish Primary schools and those preparing through the Sacramental Program will come together to receive the sacrament of Confirmation at **St Patrick's Cathedral** on **Saturday 14th of June.**

The sacrament will be conferred by Bishop Rene Ramirez RCJ. Please keep all our students in your prayers as they prepare to receive the sacrament of Confirmation.

Cause of Servant of God Dr Sr Mary Glowrey JMJ. Visit the Mary Glowrey Museum on its Open Day on Wednesday 11 June 2025 10am to 3 pm: see maryglowreymuseum.info

Pranzo di Sant'Antonio—St Anthony's Luncheon

Il Comitato Italiano di Sant'Antonio organizza un pranzo in onore della festa di Sant'Antonio. Domenica **22 giugno alle 12:00** presso la sala **Mackillop** della Parrocchia di Sant'Antonio ad Alphington. Menù di 3 portate, \$30 a persona, portate le vostre bevande. Non esitate a comunicarci eventuali esigenze alimentari. La prenotazione è essenziale, confermate la vostra presenza entro il **15 giugno a Lina** dopo la Messa, oppure chiamate l'ufficio parrocchiale: 94842907.

The St Anthony's Italian Committee is hosting a lunch to celebrate the Feast of St Anthony—Sunday, **June 22 at 12:00 PM** at St Anthony's Alphington —MacKillop room—with a three-course menu, \$30 per person, bring your own drinks. Booking is essential – **RSVP by June 15**—to Lina after mass—or call the parish office: 94842907. Please let us know if you have any dietary needs.

Product of the Month—Combined Parishes Asylum Seekers Support Group:

Please support the Brigidine Asylum Seeker Project (BASP) by donating cooking oil, basmati rice, sweet biscuits, or washing detergent.
Place items in the box at the back of the church—volunteers will deliver them to BASP in Albert Park for distribution. If you would like to join our support network please contact Rosie via the parish office 94842907.